(c) by what percentage such losses in transmission and due to theft have been reduced during the last year on account of various measures taken by Government in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI KALPNATH RAI) : (a) The installed generating capacity in the country at the end of March, 1987 and generation against the target during 1986-87 was as under :—

Type of generation	Capacity as on 31-3-87	Generation (GWH) during 1986-87		
		Target	Actual	%
Thermal	31394.0	127800	128818	100.8
Nuclear	1230.0	5200	5023	96 6
Hydro	15962.5	57000	53764	94.3
Total	48586.5	190000	187605	98.7

The information with regard to Non-Conventional Energy is as under :—

	Capacity	Generation in MUs.
Wind Energy	3.63 MW	4.5
Photo Volaic Cells	450 KWP	Not metred
Gasifier System	1.2 MW	Not metred

(b) and (c) The transmission and distribution losses (including theft) in the country during 1985-86 were 21.74% and these were reduced to 21.50% in 1986-87.

Profit/Loss Account of Public Sector Undertaking

4502. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) what is the total quantum of loss incurred or profit earned by the public sector undertakings from January, 1986 till June 1988; and

(b) what are the details of measures taken by Government to eliminate the loss and increase profit during the coming years ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO) : (a) The net profits erned by Central public sector undertakings as a whole, for the periods 1985-86 and 1986-87 are Rs. 1172.44 crores and Rs. 1769.08 crores respectively. The figures for the period 1987-88 are not available, as the audited accounts of the public sector undertakings are made available only by the end of September, 1988.

(b) The measures taken by the Government to improve the performance differ from enterprise to enterprise depending on their specific problems. However, in general, the steps taken to improve performance of these enterprises include close monitoring of their performance at various levels and holding of periodic performance review meetings by

the concerned administrative Ministries/Departments and taking appropriate steps to remove the bottlenecks if any; structural reorganisation like formation of holding companies; technology upgradation; modernisation and rehabilitation of plant and equipment; adoption of improved maintenance practices; inventory control; product diversification and improvement in product mix, training and retraining of personnel; emphasis on cost control and cost reduction and workers' participation in Management.

Unfair Trade Practices by Firms and Companies

4503. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) what are the names and particulars of firms and companies involved in unfair trade practices during the last three years; and

(b) what are the details of action taken by Government against such firms and companies ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO) : (a) and (b) During the period from 1-1-1985 to 31-12-1987 the M.R.T.P. Commission had instituted a very large number of enquiries against various persons including companies; firms and sole traders for indulging in unfair trade practices under the MRTP Act, 1969. The time and effort involved in the compilation of details of these cases including the action taken by the Commission will not be commensurate with the purpose sought to be achieved.

L.P.G. agencies allotted to Muslims and Harijans in Uttar Pradesh

4504. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) the number of dealerships/agencies for LPG, petrol pumps and kerosene of the Indian Oil Corporation and other oil companies allotted during the period from January 1987 to March 31, 1988 under the reserved and general categories in Uttar Pradesh;

(b) the number of applications called for in 1986 which are still pending for decision and by when such cases will be cleared; and

(c) the number of agencies and dealerships allotted to Harijans, Muslims and other minorities during the above period ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI BRAHM DUTT) : (a) The oil industry has allotted the following distributorships/dealerships during the period from1-1-1987 to 31-3-1988 in Uttar Pradesh :

Name of the Product	Total no. of distributorships/ dealerships	Total out of Col (2) allotted to SC/ST category
L.P.G.	21	5
Petrol/Diesel	51	22
Kerosene	10	2